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With reference to the above noted application, we wish to bring to your attention the following correction on the filing receipt. Please make the following correction:

Inventor No. 4 should read: Hugo Ziegler, Witterswil, SWITZERLAND;

The Title should read: Process for the preparation of strobilurin intermediates

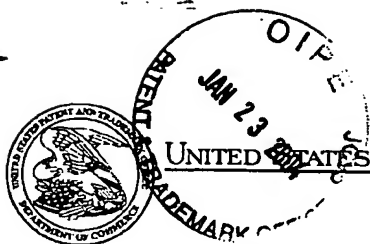
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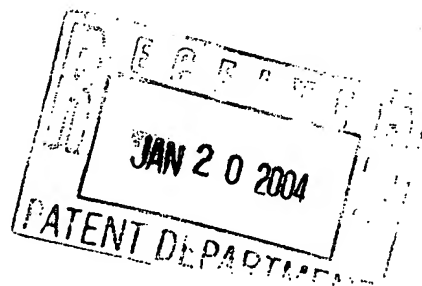
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"PROCESS FOR THE PREPARATION OF STROBILURIN INTERMEDIATES"

the specification of which is attached hereto,

or was filed on December 9, 1999

as a PCT Application Serial No. PCT/EP99/09705

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims.

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